

THE 1950 SLASHES

**HENRY
CLAY
HIGH**



Annie Mae Jacobs 5-3

Henry Clay High School

Ashland Va.

Through this life at work or play
With friends, brothers sister dad or mother
Try to follow the better way
and always think of others
Dad.

Go to your work & be strong:-
and when life's best picture
is painted, you will have
attained the success
you are sure to win.
Mother-



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Ashland, Virginia



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To a man of numerous abilities whose sincerity, kindness, and interest in the individual has won for him the love and respect of each student—to Mr. William S. Troxell we dedicate the 1950 *Slashes*.



MR. WILLIAM S. TROXELL

WST



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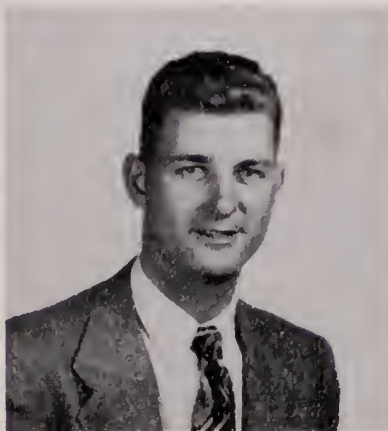
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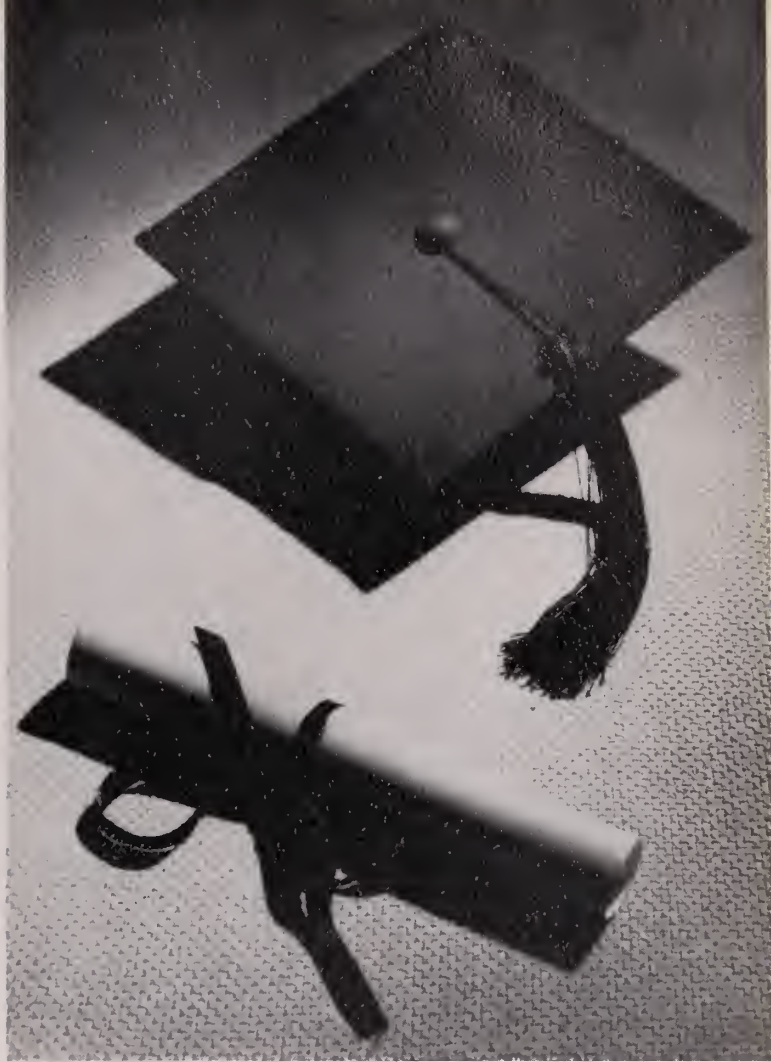
Mrs. Heaton

Coach

Harvey Seal
His letter to
saying you met
you from Grubbs

Senior Snaps





Seniors



Senior Officers

RIGHT TO LEFT:

Overton Pollard, President

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Ann Mallory, Secretary

Seniors

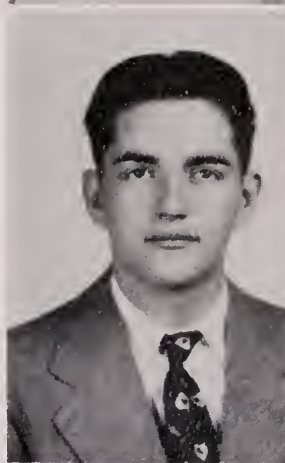
ALMA CHARLOTTE BARKER
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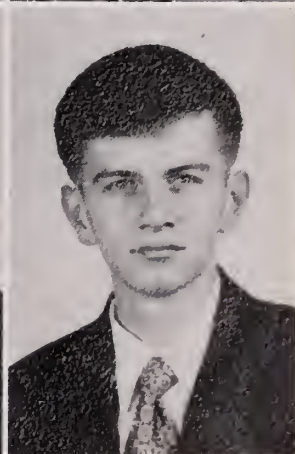
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ELEANOR PENDER DILLON



JANET MARIE GEIS
JAMES MILLARD GLAVE

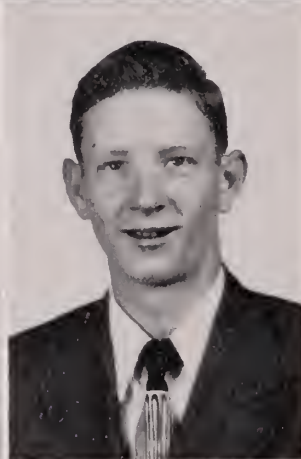


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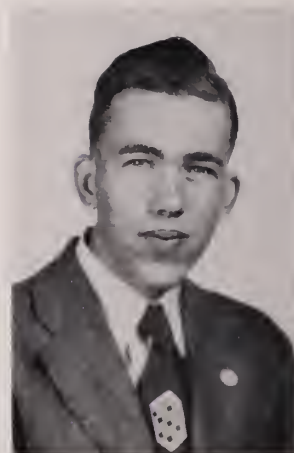
*Best woman
Anne Goodman*



REGINA ANN GOODMAN
ROY LAFONG HALEY



ALTHEA VERNELL HARRIS
DAVID CHRISTIAN HUGHES



FOREST LOVING IRVING



ANNIE MAE JEWELL
ELIZABETH UNDINE LEADBETTER

*Best 7th
sweet kid
"Gay"*

GAYNELL LOWRY



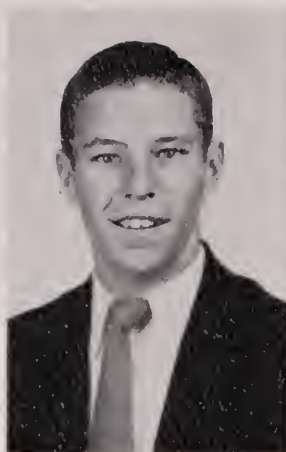
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JANE CAROLYN MALLORY



ANNE ELIZABETH MERRITT

of '50

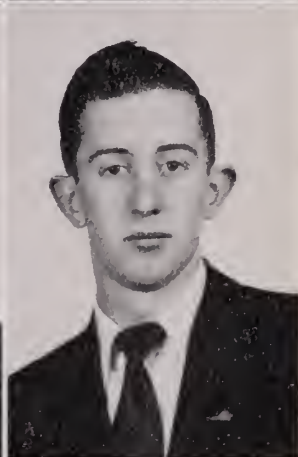
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CARLENE HOPE MITCHELL



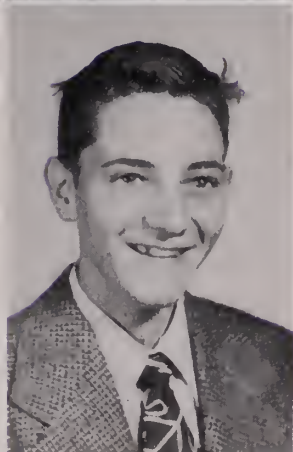
THELMA LAREAN MITCHELL



BETTY LOUIS MOODY
OVERTON PRICE POLLARD



JOHN NORMAN SCRIVNER



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CAROLYN ELIZABETH SMITH



MARGARET ELLEN SMITH



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NANCY JEANNE STANLEY

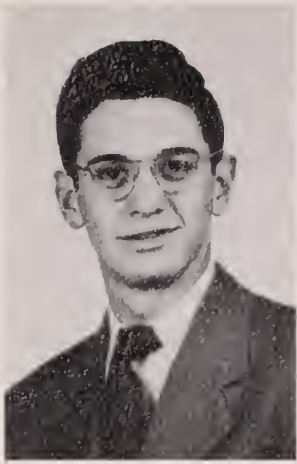


*and back always
Thelma Mitchell*

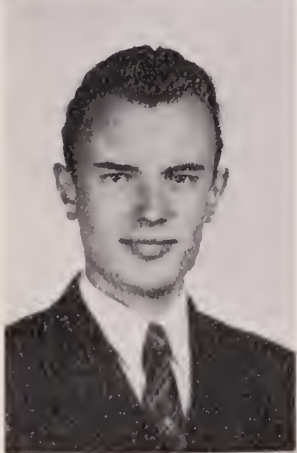
*lots of ducks to a little
gal from Knoxville.
"Smitty"
6-11-50*

*Back to
you in the future
years - Love
Nancy Jeanne*

Class of '50



EDMOND KEITH TAYLOR III



SIGFRIED WILLIAM VOLSKIS



MICHAEL JOHN WADE



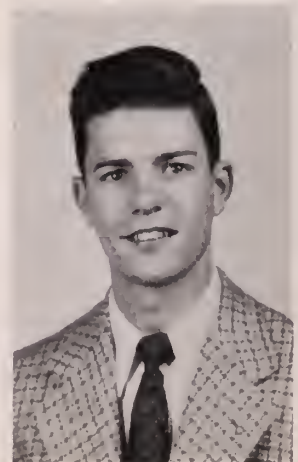
JAMES EDGAR WICKHAM, JR.

POST GRADUATES

JAMES JAMISON MARKEY

Not Pictured

THOMAS MADDEN RAFTERY





Classes

Junior



HARRIETT PACKARD
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RICHARD BIONDO
Vice-President

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HERBERT CROSS



KENNETH DUNCAN

PEGGY EYLER

LOIS GERVAIS



CORRIE GILLESPIE

MARIE LAFOON

GLADYS LOVING

*Lots of Luck
in the future
Peggie*

*Thank you
Maggie*

Class

JEAN MALLORY
BETTY MELTON
JANET PALMORE



*To sweet pals
Janet P.*

HILDA POWERS
MAURICE REID
PATTY SLADE



MARION SOMERS
ETTA STANLEY
CONWAY STONE



BETTY LOU SYKES
DOROTHY TAYLOR
LOUISE TIEBEL



JUNE THORNHILL
BARBARA JEAN TURNER
ANNE TURNER



VIRGINIA GAY WHITE



I wonder

Not Pictured

CHARLES CANNON
JEAN MILLS

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Beverly Stone
President

Susan Ayers
Richard Adams
Berta May Askew
Dorothy Atkins

Linwood Attkisson
Billy Babcock
David Bass
Jay Bass

Glendon Brice
Jeannie Bull
Amy Jean Bumpass
Elizabeth Bumpass

Hugh Campbell
Shirley Charlton
Jacqueline Chisholm
Martha Chenault

David Christian
Roberta Clarke
Diana Curtis
Dorothy Dalton

Charles Edwards
Michael Grieve
Eugene Hagan
Gwendolyn Haley

Jerry Lee Haley
Joyce Hall
Josephine Hall
Shirley Hall

Jimmy Hannah
Sarah Hannah
Ethel Howard
Lemoine Howard

Benjamin Hutcheson
Reuben Jacobs
Ann Jennings
Hampton Jesse

Judson Vaughan
Vice-President

Charles Jones

Norman Joy

Milton Leake

Eleanor Leistra

Louis Lipira

Charles Litchford

Billy Lowry

LeReve Mallory

Ruby Mallory

Shirley Mallory

Joan Melton

Louise Mills

Lucille Mills

Doris Mitchell

Weldon Mitchell

Roswell Nuckols

Billy Ogilvie

Audrey Peregoy

Paul Reid

Walter Reid

Donald Seay

Vivian Seigel

Otho Sledge

Vernelle Stanley

Jack Stevenson

Shirley Stevens

Aubrey Stone

Ottellia Teibel

Betty Gene Thompson

Catherine Tignor

Jerald Tudor

Jimmy Vaughan

Evelyn Wall

Henry Wingfield

Irene Zicafoose

Not pictured

Carl Mitchell

Class

*Good Luck
January
1948*

*Best of Luck always
see you next year
Doris Mitchell
(Wendy)*

*W. L. Reid
7-14-48*

*L. L. Reid
7-14-48*



Freshman



Beverly Moore
President



Rose Ellen Childress



Nina Adams



James Allen



Lois Attkisson



Joan Baker



Barbara Barden



Karl Barker



Doris Barnhill



Mary Ellen Barnhill



Mary Randolph Blunt



Thelma Carpenter



Paul Carr



Thomas Carter



Gene Catlett



Gale Cauthorne



Emma Belle Childress



Judson Childress



Mary Garland Cox



Eula Mae Crawley



Thelma Dalton



Chastine Davis



Ned Dillon



Ralph Echols



Faustina Fletcher



Hudson Gilman



William Gilman



Robert Gravatt



Harry Griffith



Everett Hale



Erma Harris



Raymond Harris



Barbara Holland



Frank Huffman



June Irving



Annie Mae Jacobs



Sally Johnston

Carlton O'Dell
Vice-President

Class

John Jones
Madeline Jones
Vernelle Jones
Virginia Jones

Wayne Joy
Katherine King
Harriet Koch
Louis LaFoon

Edmond Lawrence
Thomas Leake
Dorothy Leslie
Coleman Lynam

Dale Maddox
Joyce Mallory
Lucy Carter Mallory
Floyd Melton

Annette Myers
Margaret Myers
Frances Nuttle
John Packard

Frances Palmore
Ann Patterson
Shirley Powers
Velma Sanford

Malcolm Schwartz
Henry Stone
Vivian Stone
Frankie Sylvia
Grace Tate
Ned Taylor
Lloyd Tignor
Wilmer Tignor

Astrida Volskis
Alton Webb
Louise White
Phyllis Wright



*Snap*s





Clubs

Student Council



First row: Beverly Moore, Harriet Packard, Hatcher Wells, Vice-President; Overton Pollard, President; James Glave, Secretary; Anne Merritt, Beverley Stone, Joyce Hall.
Second row, standing: Mary Garland Cox, Wayne Joy, Maurice Reid, Hugh Campbell.

Our student council is made up of the student council officers elected by the student body, the respective class presidents, and a representative from each home room. The election of officers is held in the spring, the term of office beginning in the fall at the opening of school.

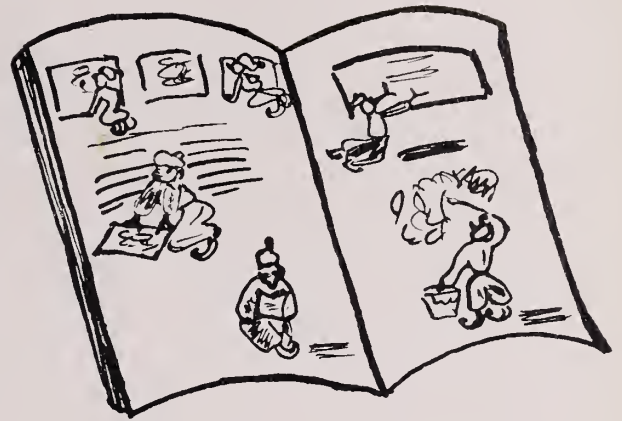
The student council has taken over much of the trivial part of the administration—disciplinary problems, suppressing noisiness, and trying to keep the school and grounds clean. Some of these problems have been solved by the organizing of monitors. In these and other problems, the student council is doing an excellent job.



Slashes Staff

Although we got off to a very slow start, the 1950 SLASHES is at last an actuality. There was that mad rush to meet the deadlines, some of us even giving up part of our Christmas holidays to help. There were those pretty afternoons that we had to stay at school to cut and paste pictures, putting them in alphabetical order, and facing the never-ceasing fear of misspelled names.

And last but not least, there was that black cloud of ads. But through the excellent cooperation and support of our many advertisers, our SLASHES finally went to press. Even though it was months of hard work for our loyal annual staff, as we look back on our jobs, they seem more a pleasure than a chore.



Seated, left to right: Evelyn Wall, Ann Merritt, Ed Cox, Business Manager; Corrie Gillespie, Pat Blair, Carlene Mitchell, Ottellia Teibel. *Standing:* Keith Taylor, Ann Mallory, Ed Wickham, Jimmy Glave, Editor; Hilda Powers, Ann Turner, Harriet Packard, Hatcher Wells.



F. H. A.



First row: Mrs. Cross, Joan Tyson, Treasurer; Ottellia Tiebel, Peggy Smith, Nora Dillon, President; Ann Mallory, Vice-President; Betty Moody, Secretary; Jane Mallory. *Second row:* Le Reve Mallory, Lucille Mills, Jean Mallory, Josephine Hall, Shirley Charlton, Louise Tiebel, Ann Turner, Mary Ellen Barnhill. *Third row:* Ruby Mallory, Irene Zicafoose, Frances Nuttle, Louise Mills, Shirley Hall, Althea Harris, Ethel Howard, Jerry Lee Haley, Gwen Haley. *Fourth row:* Charlotte Barker, Lemoine Howard, Roberta Clarke, Vivian Seigel, Etta Stanley, Hilda Poweres, Evelyn Wall, Amy Jean Bumpass. *Fifth row:* Marie La Foon, Audrey Peregoy, Shirley Mallory, Peggie Eyler, Nancy Barker, Carlene Mitchell, Gaynell Lowry. *Sixth row:* Sarah Hannah, Betty Lou Sykes, Gay White, Dorathy Taylor, Catherine Tignor, Caroline Smith, Mary Clements, Nancy Jean Stanley.



Any girl in the Henry Clay High School who has taken a homemaking course may belong to the Future Homemakers of America. The aims of the club are: promoting a growing appreciation of the joys and satisfactions of homemaking, encouraging democracy in home and community life, promoting international good will, furthering the development of creative leadership in home and community life, and furthering interest in home economics.

A student that does outstanding work is awarded degrees of achievement. Men and women who show special interest in promoting our activities are also awarded emblems.

Most of the activities of the club are related to the interest of the home. Various socials help to acquaint girls, parents, and teachers with each other. Money-making projects are sponsored, the proceeds of which are used in improving the interior and exterior of the cottage and in contributions to the F. F. A.—F. H. A. camp maintenance fund.

F.F.A.

The Future Farmers of America is a National organization of boys studying Vocational Agriculture in the rural high schools. This organization was chartered in 1928.

The Slash Cottage (Ashland) Chapter of the Future Farmers of America was organized in Ashland High School in 1934. It is one of 220 local chapters in Virginia, with a state membership of 7500 boys. The Ashland chapter has had an active enrollment of 34 members for 1949-50.

The F. F. A. has local chapters in all of the forty-eight states, Hawaii and Puerto Rico with a total membership of 375,000 boys.



First row: Kenneth Duncan, Raymond Harris, Jerald Tudor, Edward Lawrence, Harry Griffith, Everett Hale. *Second row:* Mr. Seal, Jervis Wingfield, Treasurer; Charles Cannon, Vice-President; Ashby Bumpass, President; Hugh Campbell, Secretary; Henry Wingfield. *Third row:* Alton Webb, Coleman Lynam, Jimmy Hannah, Rosewell Nuckols, Eugene Hagen, Wilmer Tignor, Jimmy Vaughan, Richard Adams, Alvin Witbeck, Willie Gilman, Roy Haley, Reuben Jacobs, Charles Litchford.



Charles Cannon

Key Club



First row: Michael Wade, Jimmy Glave, Overton Pollard, President; Hatcher Wells, Ed Cox. Second row: Roy Haley, Ed Wickham, Tommy Raferty, Hugh Campbell, Judson Vaughan, Glendon Brice.

The Key Club of Henry Clay High School is one of the most active clubs in the high school.

The objectives of the Key Club are to develop leadership and initiative, to provide experience in living and working together, to serve the school and community, and to promote the objectives of Kiwanis International.

The Key Club has completed a number of projects this year. The members sold drinks and helped in the booths at the Kiwanis Carnival, decorated the community Christmas tree, and sold refreshments at school games. Most of the club members attended the international convention in Washington, D. C. last year.



Dramatic Club



One of the oldest clubs in the high school is the Dramatic Club. The Dramatic Club limits its membership to students who have shown outstanding ability in dramatics, both in acting and stage work. This year the Dramatic Club gained many new members from the operetta, *Meet Arizona*, which was presented in December.

In the spring the Dramatic Club usually enters a one act play in the Virginia Literary and Athletic League District Two, One-Act Play Tournament, held in Fredricksburg. Last year we presented *Mooncalf* for this contest. This spring the Dramatic Club is planning to present three one-act plays for the public and from these three plays select the one to be presented in Fredricksburg.

Standing left: Jimmy Glave, Secretary; Keith Taylor, Vice-President; Ottellia Teibel, President. *First row, standing:* Betty Lou Sykes, Ed Cox, Pat Blair. *Seated:* Gaynell Lowry, Jay Bass, Hilda Powers, Carlene Mitchell, Tommy Raftery. *Second row, standing:* Forrest Mills, John Scrivener, Overton Pollard, Roy Haley, Glendon Brice, Linwood Attkisson, Nora Dillon, Peggy Smith.



F. B. L. A.



First row: Roy Southworth, Nancy Barker, Althea Harris, Ann Mallory, Treasurer; Ann Merritt, Vice-President; Ed Cox, President; Gaynell Lowry, Second Vice-President; Elsie Coakley, Secretary; Ann Turner, Carolyn Smith, Pat Blair. *Second row:* Conway Stone, Russell Bumpass, Peggie Eyler, Charlotte Barker, Betty Leadbetter, Erta Stanley, Janet Geis, Carlene Mitchell, Jane Mallory, Betty Gene Thompson, Ethel Howard, Janet Palmore, Miss Ola Murray. *Third row:* Roy Haley, Peggy Smith, Mary Simms, Gay White, Dorothy Taylor, Gladys Loving, Ann Goodman, Joan Tyson, Mary Clements, Mary Jane Cooke. *Fourth row:* David Hughes, Jimmy Glave, Edgar Wickham, Overton Pollard, Keith Taylor, Elvin Baker, Thelma Mitchell, Alice Chisholm.

This year the Commercial Club became a chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America, a national organization. Only students, who have taken or are taking a commercial subject, are eligible for membership. The club sponsors speakers, movies and assemblies as a means of acquaint-

ing the members with business. Under the guidance of Miss Ola Murray the club has continued to publish the school paper, the name of which was changed from the *Commercial News* to the *Eagle Lights*.

Eagle Lights Staff

Our school paper, The Eagle Lights, had its beginning as a bulletin of the Commercial Club, circulating club news among the members. Within a short time it grew into a school publication, though still sponsored by the commercial students who composed the staff.

The Eagle Lights is published four to six times annually. It is mimeographed and stapled by the staff and assistants recruited from the student body. It contains news, articles, and other items of interest to the students.



Standing: David Hughes, Corrie Gillespie, Editor; Roy Southworth, Mary Simms, Peggie Eyler, Etta Stanley, Carlene Mitchell, Elsie Coakley, Ann Mallory, Jimmy Glave. *Sitting:* Gay White, Pat Blair, Peggy Smith, Harriette Packard, Ottellia Tiebel, Forrest Mills.



Library Club



First row: Vernelle Stanley, Betty Lewis Moody, Harriet Packard, Michael Wade, Jean Berger, Glendon Brice, Thomas Carter. *Second row:* Mrs. Buckley, Beverly Stone, Beverly Moore, Susan Ayres, Mary Clements, Carolyn Smith, Michael Grieve, Peggy Smith, Gay White, Etta Stanley, Donald Seay, Frank Huffman.

The purpose of the Library Club is to promote interest in the school library, to encourage good reading, and to help its members learn more about the work of a librarian. Student library assistants who are interested in these aims may be members.

This year the club observed National Book

Week by making various posters and by sponsoring a speaker at a school assembly. Club pins were bought this year and a constitution was put into effect. The club also sponsored "open house" for parents and townspeople who wished to use the library. The club is sponsored by Mrs. Rhoda Buckley, school librarian.



Monogram Club

The Monogram Club is made up of students who have participated in one or more sports. Its purpose is to encourage athletics and good sportsmanship.

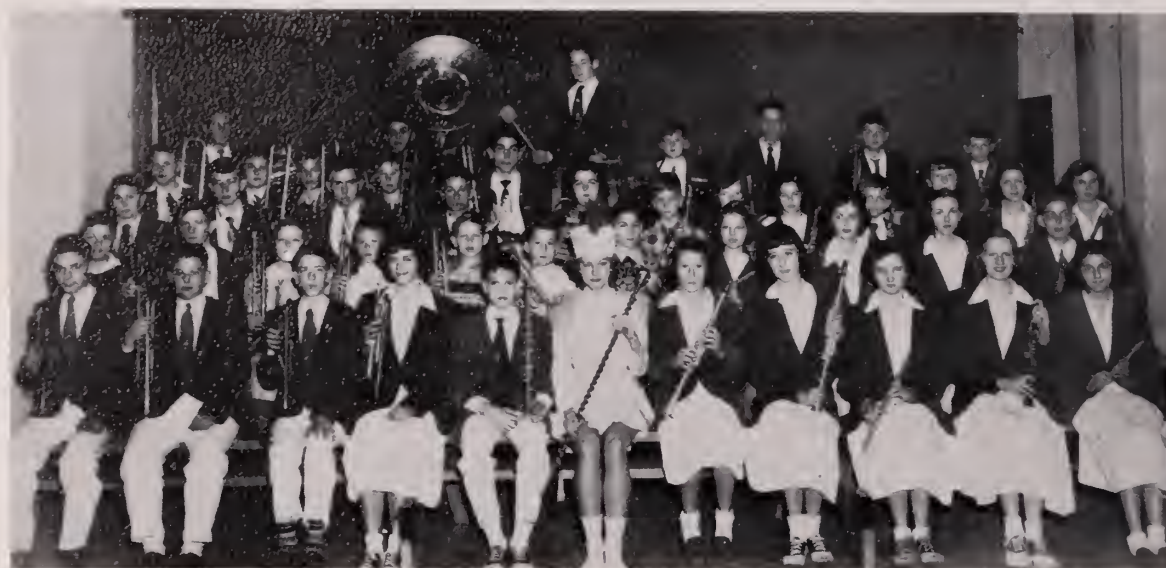
This year the club sponsored the annual Homecoming Dance which followed the Ashland-Varina Homecoming Game. Miss Hodgson and Mr. Pollock were honored at a party given by the club.



First row, left to right: Miss Hodgson, Anne Merritt, Roy Haley, John Scrivener, Edgar Wickham, Janet Geis, Hilda Powers, Coach Pollock. *Second row:* Eugene Hagen, Conway Stone, Betty Leadbetter, Pat Blair, Joan Tyson, Jean Mallory, Overton Pollard, Jimmy Glave. *Third row:* David Christian, Michael Wade, Forrest Mills, Ed Cox, Betty Lou Sykes, Anne Turner. *Fourth row:* Polly Ayres, Hugh Campbell, Russell Bumpass, Paul Reid, Herbert Cross, Tommy Raftery, Louise Tiebel, Mary Simms, Diana Curtis. *Fifth row:* Maurice Reid, Ned Taylor, Carlene Mitchell, Corrie Gillespie, Shirley Mallory, Carolyn Smith, Nora Dillon. *Sixth row:* Walter Baughan, Billy Lowry, Walter Reid, David Hughes, Linwood Attkisson, Keith Taylor, Ann Mallory.



Band



TRUMPETS

John Packard
Ralph Echols
David Hughes
Billy Thomas
Faye Marie Compton
Jimmy Luck
Ben Vaughan
Jean Leadbetter

ALTO HORN

Jimmy Ridout

TROMBONE

Linwood Attkisson
Alvin Sylvia

C. J. Haley

Carroll Moss

Richard Lee Widener

TUBA

Chip Ray

DRUM MAJORETTE

Peggy Smith

SAXOPHONES

Roy Haley
Louis Lipira
Speedy Mills
James Allen
Billy Morris Flagg

James Bagby

PERCUSSION

Keith Taylor

Dick Biondo

Pat Barker

Douglas Hall

Bobby Reese

Joe Billy Dunville

Danny Wise

GLOCKENSPIEL

Beverly Jesse

CLARINETS

Margaret Myers

Joe Haley

Shirley Wright

Arlene Henley

Anita Heflin

Barbara Quarles

Mary Carroll Smith

Harry Griffith

Theresa Adams

John Glave

Arlene Harris

Scott Wallinger

Frances Luck

OBOE

Evelyn Wall

FLUTE and PICCOLO

Dale Maddox

Virginia Mabry

Dora Lee Forsythe



The Band, under the direction of William Troxell, has had another successful year. Many new members have been added to it this year.

We played in the Festival last Spring and came out with a 2 rating. Next year we hope to do better. The band played for the Kiwanis Club and for several football games. We also played at the "Faculty-Student" basketball game and have tried to help the college out a little at their games.

Even though we lost many of our good players, we have made out fine and hope to have as good a season next year.

Glee Club

In 1949, the glee club under the very capable direction of Mr. William S. Troxell, presented its 8th annual operetta, *Meet Arizona*, a dude ranch comedy and romance of the far west.

This production required many hours of hard work and was presented two nights in the high school auditorium filled with citizens of Ashland and Hanover County. The money raised from this

operetta is given to the library for the benefit of the whole school.

Last year the glee club attended the annual spring festival which was held in Richmond at the Thomas Jefferson High School. We received a rating of 2 which is equal to excellent. We expect to attend it once again next year and we hope to do as well.

Mr. Troxell, *Director*

Carlene Mitchell, *Accompanist*

First row: Betty Lou Sykes, Ottellia Tiebel, Pat Blair, Margaret Myers, Susan Ayers, Beverly Stone, LeReve Mallory, Lucille Mills, Mary Garland Cox, Jane Mallory. *Second row:* Mary Randolph Blunt, Mary Jane Cooke, Josephine Hall, Vivian Seigel, Frank Huffman, Thomas Leake, Ralph Echols, Jay Bass, Janet Palmore, Anne Turner, Joan Tyson. *Third row:* Evelyn Walls, Jean Mallory, Dale Maddox, Beveley Moore, Michael Grieve, David Bass, Glen Brice, Otho Sledge, Peggy Smith, Marie LaFoon, Shirley Hall, Annette Myers. *Fourth row:* Louise Mills, Barbara Holland, Gaynell Lowry, Betty Moody, John Packard, Donald Seay, Billy Babcock, Hatcher Wells, Robin Jacques, Nancy Jean Stanley, Eleanor Leistra, Nora Dillon. *Fifth row:* Gwen Haley, Lois Attikisson, Marguerite Jacques, Etta Stanley, James Allen, Forrest Mills, Michael Wade, Overton Pollard, Peggy Eyler, Sarah Hannah, Ann Mallory. *Sixth row:* Gladys Mae Loving, Dorothy Taylor, Anne Jennings, Shirley Mallory, Walter Reid, David Hughes, Jimmy Glave, Linwood Attikisson, Keith Taylor, Annie Mae Jacobs, Joan Baker, Louise Tiebel.



Bios Club

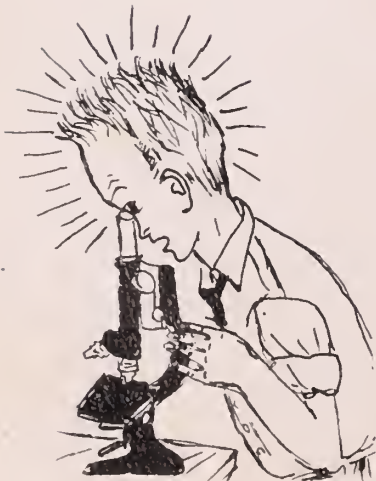


First row: Miss Hodgson; Hilda Powers; Pat Blair; Marie Lafoon; Peggie Eyler; Roy Southworth. *Second row:* Gladys Loving; Dorothy Taylor; Janet Geis; Ann Mallory; Joan Tyson, Secretary; Mick Wade. *Third row:* Anne Merritt; Overton Pollard, President; Jimmy Glave; Hatcher Wells.

The Bios Club is made up of students who have achieved an A average in Biology and at least a C average in other classes and who are interested in science.

The faculty adviser for the club is Miss Hodgson.

The members of this club hope to interest the student body in science courses and to aid in furthering knowledge of science in the school and community.



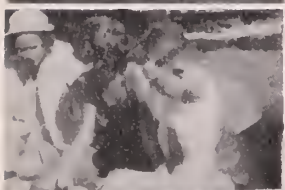
Monitors & Bus Drivers



Across the front: Glen Brice, Jimmy Vaughan, Charles Litchford, Lloyd Tignor, Charles Cannon, Jervis Wingfield, Keith Taylor, Gaynell Lowry, Peggy Smith, Nancy Jean Stanley. *Second row on left:* Donald Seay, John Packard, Wilmer Tignor. *Third row on left:* Milton Leake, Ralph Echols, Shirley Mallory. *Fourth row on left:* Althea Harris, Karl Barker, Sarah Hannah. *Fifth row on left:* Harriet Packard, Josephine Hall, Shirley Hall. *Sixth row on left:* Mary Ellen Barnhill, Gale Cauthorne, Doris Barnhill. *Seventh row on left:* Annette Myers, Beveley Moore. *Second row on right:* Anne Merritt, Elsie Coakley, Nancy Barker. *Third row on right:* Betty Leadbetter, Mary Jane Cooke, Charlotte Barker. *Fourth row on right:* Lois Attkisson, Lucille Mills, Carolyn Smith. *Fifth row on right:* Janet Palmore, Dorothy Taylor, Virginia Gay White. *Sixth row on right:* Vivian Seigel, Dale Maddox, Harriet Koch.

The Monitors are a service group under the jurisdiction of the Student Council. They see that order is kept in the halls and on the grounds of our school. There are forty members in this group.

Snap





Athletics

Football

With most of the mainstays of Henry Clay High School's football team graduating last year, Coach Chick Pollock had quite a job rebuilding a football team around six lettermen and only a few inexperienced junior varsity members. A new coach and a "green" team encountered further difficulties as they changed offensively from the single wing to the "T". As can be easily seen, the team did not start scoring until the latter half of the season, and then managed to win two of the last four games. Defensively, the team suffered from mistakes due to inexperience; lack of big aggressive linemen and of reserves also hurt us—many of our opponents just overpowered us.

ASHLAND-0 SEPTEMBER 16 VARINA-6

Ashland's lineup, laden with inexperienced boys, played Varina on even terms until the 3rd quarter when Varina pushed across their only score when they recovered a fumble inside Ashland's ten yard line.

ASHLAND-0 SEPTEMBER 23 FALMOUTH-13

Outweighed but not outplayed Ashland held Falmouth for the first quarter but experience and reserves paid off for Falmouth.

ASHLAND-0 OCTOBER 14 MANCHESTER-32

Manchester had too many big, experienced players for the light Ashland team. Reserves were too many for Ashland as Manchester scored at will.

ASHLAND-6 OCTOBER 21 CHESTER-32

Attkisson scored Ashland's first touchdown of the season on a handoff from Wickam, the quarterback, but prevailed to a superior Chester team.

ASHLAND-0 OCTOBER 28 HIGHLAND SPRINGS-50

The game played on a rainsoaked field was a nightmare for Ashland as Highland Springs scored at will.

ASHLAND-19 NOVEMBER 4 POWHATAN-6

Ashland scored their first win of the season when they met an evenly matched foe. Sawyer scored twice for Ashland.

ASHLAND-28 NOVEMBER 11 LOUISA-6

Five players took part in the scoring as Ashland romped to its second straight victory. Every member of the squad played a bang-up game against Louisa. It was Homecoming for Louisa.

ASHLAND-13 NOVEMBER 18 BEAUMONT-32

Injuries to some key players in the Louisa game plus loss of Sawyer who transferred to another school, was the downfall of Ashland. Beaumont outplayed the Eagles from start to finish of the game.

ASHLAND-6 NOVEMBER 23 VARINA-19

Ashland's Blue Eagles, who for two years straight had victories in Homecoming games, was dealt a defeat by Varina on Homecoming. Varina previously had beaten Henry Clay in its first game of the season.

Football



First Row: Ed Cox, Dick Biondo, John Scrivener, Herbert Cross, Russell Bumpass, O. P. Pollard, Tom Raftery, Ed Wickham, Walter Baughan, Conway Stone, Maurice Reid.
Second Row: Mr. Pollock, coach, Billy Lowry, Hugh Campbell, Eugene Hagan, Ned Taylor, Linwood Attkisson, Paul Reid, Walter Reid, James Allen, David Christian. *Not Pictured:* Fred Sawyer, Forest Mills.



Basketball



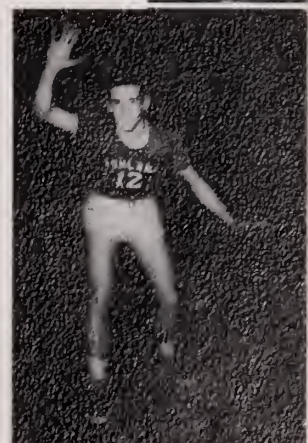
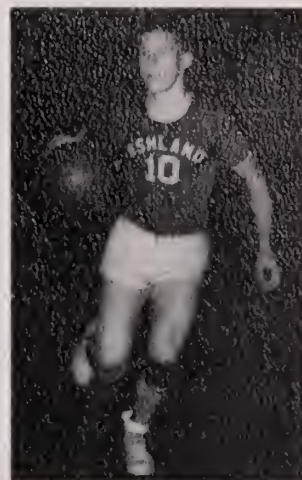
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Varsity

Opposite page—Front row: Edgar Wickham, Oppie Pollard, Speedy Mills, Tommy Rafferty, John Scrivener. *Standing:* Michael Wade, Ed Cox, Bozo Reid, Walter Reid, Coach Pollock.

Ashland opened the season with the starting five from last year but the odds were against the team which lacked height, speed and reserves. Speedy Mills was the leading scorer of the team and ranked with the leaders in the Suburban League. Every member of the team played creditable basketball but Ashland won only two games.



Junior Varsity

Opposite page—Front row: John Jones, Hugh Campbell, Coach Pollock, Ben Hutcheson, Billy Babcock. *Standing:* Jack Stevenson, Ned Taylor, Linwood Attkisson, Paul Reid.

The first junior varsity team ever formed at Henry Clay High School was organized in basketball this year. Every member of the team hustled and had real basketball spirit. Lack of practice dimmed their chances against their opponents who had a gymnasium in which to practice. In the middle of the season, B. Reid and L. Attkisson became members of the varsity. Every game the team played was close but Ashland never came out on top. The team gave good account of itself in every game it played.



First row: Polly Ayers, Manager, Carlene Mitchell, Diana Curtis, Shirley Mallory, Janet Geis, Anne Merritt, Anne Turner, Carolyn Smith, Joan Tyson, Hilda Powers, Betty Leadbetter, Corrie Gillespie, and Miss Hodgson. *Second row:* Lois Attkisson, Jean Mallory, Betty Lou Sykes, Pat Blair, Louise Teibel, and Marie LaFoon, Manager.



Another season has passed and the Eaglettes of Henry Clay have completed another successful year with three wins and one tie. With only eighteen girls out for the squad, we take our hats off to them for keeping fine spirit and sportsmanship.

Monogram winners who returned this year were Joan Tyson, Anne Turner, Hilda Powers, Anne Merritt, Ann Mallory, Janet Geis, Carolyn Smith, and Corrie Gillespie. We are very sorry we are going to lose some of our star players: Ann Mallory, who held down right fullback; Betty Leadbetter, our plunging right inner; Anne Merritt, our fast left wing; Janet Geis, who was always there to back up the forward line, and last but not least Carolyn Smith, our impassable goalie, who played a large part in keeping the opposing team's score down. With most of our starting lineup leaving this year, we still have the rest of our players, good will and determination to keep our record undefeated.



Basketball



First row: Carolyn Smith, Mary Simms, Lucille Mills, Joan Tyson, Ann Merritt, Hilda Powers, Betty Leadbetter, Mary Jo Hall. *Second row:* Ottellia Teibel, Assistant Manager, Louise Mills, Harriet Packard, Jerry Lee Haley, Carlene Mitchell, Miss Hodgson, Ann Turner, Corrie Gillespie, Shirley Hall, Pat Blair, Manager.

When our coach, Miss Hodgson, called for basketball practice this year, she was very pleased to find forty girls showing interest by reporting. The same old handicap of not having a gymnasium made it rough going for the girls; however, it can never be said that this kept the spirit of our Eaglettes down. Maybe our scores were not too good, but it was the fun of playing that kept the girls interested. We feel that with so much interest on the part of the students and with the prospects of our new gymnasium, the Henry Clay Eaglettes will be hard to beat next year.



Cheerleaders



Clockwise: Lucille Mills, Joan Tyson, Polly Ayers, Peggy Smith, Betty Leadbetter, Janet Geis, Harriet Packard, Sarah Hannah, Louise Mills. *Cross center:* Anne Merritt, Hilda Powers, Pat Blair.



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ALMA CHARLOTTE BARKER: Softball, 2, 4; Monogram Club 2; F. H. A. Club 4; Monitor 4; FBLA 3, 4; Secretary to Elementary Teachers 4.

NANCY URSELL BARKER: Softball 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. Club 4; Monitor 4; FBLA 3, 4; Secretary to Mrs. Cross 4.

REBA JEAN BERGER: Glee Club 1; Library Club 4; Vice-President 4.

RUSSELL THOMAS BUMPASS: FBLA 4; Football 4.

ALICE CATHERINE CHISHOLM: Glee Club 1; FBLA 3, 4.

MARY JANET CLEMENTS: F. H. A. Club 2, 3, 4; FBLA 3, 4; Library Club 4; Secretary to Mrs. Buckley 4.

ELSIE MARIE COAKLEY: Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Monitor 4; FBLA 3, 4; Secretary 4; Secretary to Mr. Compton 3; Secretary to Mr. Troxell 4; Vice-President 1; Eagle Light Staff 4.

CHARLES EDWIN COX, JR.: Class Vice-President 4; FBLA 4; President 4; Key Club 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Slashes Staff 3, 4; Assistant Business Manager 3; Business Manager 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3, 4.

ELEANOR PENDER DILLON: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 2; Band 1, 2; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 2, 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; President 4.

JANET MARIE GEIS: Hockey 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4;

FBLA 4; Bios Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Secretary 4.

JAMES MILLARD GLAVE: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Slashes Staff 2, 3, 4; Editor in Chief 4; FBLA 4; Eagle Light Staff 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; School Reporter 4; Basketball Manager 2; Student Council 3, 4; Class Vice-President 3.

REGINA ANN GOODMAN: F. H. A. 1; FBLA 3, 4;

ROY LaFONG HALEY: Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 4; Football 3, 4; Manager 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 3; Key Club 4; Monogram 3, 4; Treasurer 4; FBLA 4; Class Treasurer 4.

ALTHEA VERNELL HARRIS: Softball 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. Club 4; Monitor 4; FBLA 4.

DAVID CHRISTIAN HUGHES: Band 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Basketball 4, 5; FBLA 5; Eagle Light Staff 5; Monogram Club 4, 5.

FORREST LOVING IRVING.

ANNIE MAE JEWELL: Glee Club 1, 2; Library Club 2.

ELIZABETH UNDINE LEADBETTER: Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; FBLA 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Head Cheerleader 4; Band 2; Hockey 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 4; Monitor 4; Safety Patrol 3.

CAYNELL LOWRY: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. Club 2, 3, 4; FBLA 3, 4; Second Vice-President 4; Operetta 1, 2, 4; Monitor 3, 4; Chairman of Monitors 4; Dramatics Club 4.

ANN HARLAN MALLORY: Class Treasurer 4; Slashes Staff 4; Secretary and Treasurer 4; Student Council 3; Eagle Light Staff 4; FBLA 4; Treasurer 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Secretary 3 and Vice-President 4; Bios Club 2, 3, 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 4.

JANE CAROLYN MALLORY: F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 4; FBLA 3, 4.

ANNE ELIZABETH MERRITT: Softball 2; F. H. A. Club 2; Bios Club 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Captain 4; Student Council 4; Slashes Staff 4; FBLA 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Cheerleader 4; Monitor 4; Secretary to Miss Hodgson 4.

FORREST WYATT MILLS: FBLA 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Operetta 1, 4; Eagle Light Staff 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Dramatic Club 4; Monitor 3; Secretary to Mrs. Andrews 4.

CARLENE HOPE MITCHELL: Operetta 1, 2, 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4; FBLA 3, 4; Slashes Staff 4; Bios Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Eagle Light Staff 4; Monogram Club 4.

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BETY LOUIS MOODY: Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Operetta 2, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 3 and Secretary 4; Library Club 2, 3, 4; Secretary and Treasurer 3; Reporter 4.

OVERTON PRICE POLLARD: Class President 4; Class Vice-President 3; Student Council 3, 4; Vice-President 3 and President 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3 and President 4; FBLA 3, 4; Bios Club 3, 4; President 4; Dramatic Club 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Manager 2; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4.

JOHN NORMAN SCRIVENER: Football 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Bios Club 3, 4; Operetta 4; Basketball 3, 4; Manager 3; Dramatic Club 4.

MARY LOUISE SIMMS: Basketball 3, 4; Monogram 3, 4; FBLA 4; Eagle Light Staff 4; Secretary to Mr. Seal 4.

CAROLYN ELIZABETH SMITH: F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2; FBLA 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 3; Library Club 4; Secretary to Mrs. Heaton 4; Monitor 4.

MARGARET ELLEN SMITH: Dramatic Club 4; Band Majorette 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 2; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Reporter 4; FBLA 4; Eagle Light Staff 4; Cheerleader 4; Monitor 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Reporter 2; Secretary to Mr. Troxell 4.

ROY SAMUEL SOUTHWORTH, JR.: Bios Club 3, 4; FBLA 3, 4; Football Assistant Manager 3; Eagle Light Staff 4; Safety Patrol 1, 2, 3; Secretary to Miss Murray 4.

NANCY JEANNE STANLEY: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Monitor 4.

EDMOND KEITH TAYLOR III: Class President 1, 2, 3; Baseball 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3; Dramatic Club 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Student Council 3; Slashes Staff 4.

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MICHAEL JOHN WADE: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Key Club 3, 4; Bios Club 3, 4; FBLA 3; Library Club 4; President 4; Monogram Club 4; Basketball 3, 4; Assistant Manager 3; Manager 4; Baseball Manager 3.

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